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10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
11 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

12 GINI F. RIGGS,

13 Plaintiff,

14 v.

15 JO ANNE B. BARNHART,
Commissioner of Social Security.

16 Defendant.
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CIVIL NO. 04-04370 PJH

STIPULATION AND ORDER
APPROVING COMPROMISE
SETTLEMENT OF ATTORNEY
FEES PURSUANT TO THE EQUAL
ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT

18 The plaintiff's attorney having met the criteria of L.R. 54-5, by meeting and conferring with
19 defendant, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by and between the parties through their undersigned
20 counsel, subject to approval by the Court, that plaintiff's attorney receive the following payment:

21 1. Defendant shall pay THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,000.00), pursuant to the Equal
22 Access to Justice Act (EAJA), for attorney fees incurred in this court action.¹ The check is to be
23 payable to plaintiff's counsel:

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27 2. This is a settlement of plaintiff's request for attorney fees pursuant to EAJA, and does not
28 constitute an admission of liability or fault on the part of defendant under the Equal Access to Justice

1/. This amount includes costs.

1 Act.

2 3. Payment of the THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,000.00), EAJA fees incurred in this
3 court action, will constitute a complete release from and bar to any and all claims, rights, causes of
4 action, liens or subrogated interests relating to attorney fees pursuant to the EAJA as a result of this
5 court action.

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8 Dated: October 10, 2005

9 /s/
IAN M. SAMMIS
Attorney for Plaintiff


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11 KEVIN V. RYAN
12 United States Attorney

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14 Dated: October 13, 2005

15 By: /s/
SARA WINSLOW
16 Assistant United States Attorney

17 PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED:
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21 Dated:

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PHYLLIS J. HAMILTON
23 United States District Judge
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GINI F. RIGGS, EAJA STIP (mc)
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